

Short Claims War Message Arrived Two Hours Late

By JACK BELL
Washington, Jan. 1 (AP)—The Pearl Harbor committee, taking a New Year holiday, today studied a contention by Lt. Gen. Walter C. Short that he would have had two precious hours to prepare for an attack if Washington had sent him quickly the message that came too late.

Short's statement, included in a transcript of testimony he gave previously in three secret hearings, contradicted in some respects information given the congressional investigators by Adm. Harold R. Stark.

Stark, former Chief of Naval Operations, will be in the witness chair tomorrow for additional questioning about his assertion yesterday that Adm. Husband E. Kimmel, the 1941 Pearl Harbor commander, had plenty of warning to put into effect "all-out security measures."

Seek New Counsel
When the questioning of Stark is completed, William D. Mitchell, committee counsel, and Mitchell's staff intend to leave the scene.

But the committee talked yesterday at a closed session to Seth W. Richardson, Washington attorney who some members said they hope might take Mitchell's place.

Chairman Barkley (D-Ky.) said that Richardson, 65-year-old former assistant attorney general under Mitchell, distinctly is not an applicant for the post. Richardson in 1933 was nominated by President Hoover for the Eighth Circuit Court of Appeals, but the Senate did not act on the nomination.

Stark's contention that the Pearl Harbor commanders had warnings under which he thought they would get together and "make the best disposition of the forces they had to guard against danger" found conflict in Short's views as expressed to the Army Inquiry Board.

Short told the board of the message which Gen. George C. Marshall, then-Chief of Staff, dispatched by commercial radio and which did not reach Short until seven hours after the attack. Had it been phoned to the Hawaiian commander un-coded and in the clear, Short testified, "I, in all probability, would have approximately two hours in which to make detailed preparations to meet an immediate attack."

Took Proper Steps
Short summed up his case this way:

"I do not see how I could better have carried out what appeared to be the desires of the War Department unless I was supposed to know more than the War Department about the danger of Japanese attack and more than the Navy Department about the location of the Japanese carriers.

"To have taken more steps in preparation against a Japanese attack than I did would certainly have alarmed the civil population and caused publicity contrary to War Department instructions.

"I do not believe that I should be found guilty even of an error of judgment because I did not have the vision to foresee that the War Department would not notify me of a crisis in the least possible time and that the Navy with its large fleet in Hawaiian waters would not be able to carry out its mission of intercepting Japanese carriers, or at least detecting their presence in Hawaiian waters and informing me of the fact."

Don't Sneez At Snuff Industry
Washington, Jan. 1 (AP)—Uncle Sam's cut from the snuff industry isn't to be sneezed at.

You may have thought that snuff went out with powdered wigs and three-cornered hats.

But no. Every month another \$500,000 or so is corded away in the treasury. The government has picked this up, 18 cents a pound here and 18 cents a pound there, as tax money on snuff.

The treasury reported today that the snuff business was pretty good last month. It banked \$674,939.97 as almost 4,000,000 pounds of snuff was snuffed.

First 1946 Baby Born At Hospital
First 1946 birth to take place at the Warner hospital occurred this morning at 4 o'clock when a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Weikert, Gettysburg R. 5.

A daughter was born New Year's Eve at 6 o'clock to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kane, Fairfield.

HOSPITAL REPORT
Patients discharged from the Warner hospital include: Frank Slaybaugh, Biglerville; J. Harry Dougherty, Rex apartments; Mrs. Allen Slonaker, Baltimore street; Mrs. Kent Witherow and son Stephen Wayne, Gettysburg R. 4.

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Good Evening
Happy New Year

GRANDCHILDREN OF BRIDE, 71, ATTEND COUPLE

A 71-year-old couple, both with grandchildren of their own, were united in marriage in a single ring ceremony performed at 8 o'clock New Year's Eve in St. Ignatius Catholic church rectory in Buchanan Valley.

The attendants were a grandson and granddaughter of the bride. Mrs. Lena Rebecca Baker, Ottumma R. 1, two of whose four children attended the ceremony, was the bride and John Henry Williams of Swissvale, a retired steel worker, the bridegroom.

Reception Follows
The ceremony was performed by the rector, the Rev. Fr. Daniel J. Crowley, before a group of a dozen members of the families and close friends.

Miss Martha Dillon, Baltimore street, was the bridesmaid and ARN 2/c Conrad Leber, East Orange, N. J., the best man.

The bride was dressed in navy blue and wore a corsage of pink rosebuds. Her attendant wore black with black accessories. Her corsage was of pink carnations.

A reception followed the ceremony at the home of the bride. The couple will live there for the present.

PACK CLOTHES FRIDAY TO BE SENT ABROAD

The packing of wearing apparel collected in Gettysburg for the relief of needy Europeans will take place Friday, the Gettysburg Council of Church Women, which is sponsoring the local drive, announced today. The clothing will be shipped Saturday to the United Churches Service Center, New Windsor, Md., and will be distributed overseas by the World Council of Churches in Geneva, Switzerland.

The drive opened December 28 and concludes Friday. Eight Gettysburg churches are receiving depots. They will be open to receive clothing, shoes, quilts and blankets, as follows:

Christ Lutheran church, Wednesday and Friday; Methodist church, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday; Trinity Evangelical Reformed church, Wednesday and Thursday evenings; St. James Lutheran church, Young People's rooms open anytime; Presbyterian church, Friday; United Brethren church, open anytime; A.M.E. Zion church, open anytime; Church of the Brethren, clothing may be left any time by getting the key next door to the church.

Mrs. Harold V. March, United Brethren church, is chairman of the clothing drive committee, assisted by Mrs. Earl J. Bowman, St. James church; Mrs. Guyon E. Buehler, Trinity Evangelical Reformed church; Mrs. William Pensyl, Methodist church; Mrs. Walter Danforth, Presbyterian church; Mrs. Charles Black, Christ Lutheran church; Mrs. Roy K. Miller, Church of the Brethren; and Mrs. Amanda Myers, A.M.E. Zion church.

The following key women of the respective churches are also members of the committee: Mrs. Louise Hoffman, Trinity Evangelical Reformed church; Miss Elizabeth Bushman, Church of the Brethren; Miss Emma Howard, United Brethren church; Mrs. W. C. Waltemyer, Christ Lutheran church; Mrs. Luther McDonald, St. James Lutheran church; Mrs. Rudolph Rosenstengel, Presbyterian church and Mrs. Louise Stanton, A.M.E. Zion church.

O'Dwyer Becomes New Gotham Mayor
New York, Jan. 1 (AP)—William O'Dwyer, who came from Ireland in 1910 to work as a day laborer, took over today as mayor of the nation's largest city.

Inauguration ceremonies were set for noon at city hall. The 55-year-old mayor's predecessor, Fiorello H. LaGuardia, who held the office for 12 years, was expected to attend.

O'Dwyer was sworn in at the home of a relative in Queens last night as youthful revelers, in the streets outside, joyously celebrated the passing of the old year.

J. G. HANKEY DIES
Joseph Grant Hankey, 82, of 119 East Middle street, died at 9:30 a. m. today at his home of complications. He had been in ill health for some time.

CHIMNEY FIRE
Gettysburg firemen were called about 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon when a chimney fire was reported at the Lincoln school building. There was no damage.

Weather Forecast
Colder tonight. Wednesday fair and continued cold.

William O. Wolf Wins Corn Contest

A crop of 88.8 bushels of corn per acre produced by William O. Wolf, New Oxford R. 2, won for him top position in the National Dekalb Hybrid Corn Growing contest in Adams county for 1945. That record was produced on the Wolf farm by Hybrid No. 816. Mr. Wolf will receive a plaque from The Dekalb Agricultural association.

Other big yields reported from the county in the contest were made by C. E. Rouzer, Biglerville, with a record of 88.07 bushels per acre; Louise Hoffman, Gettysburg R. 5, 82.77; Walter E. Coshun, Gettysburg R. 5, 73.71, and Russell R. Deaner, Gettysburg R. 5, 64.24 bushels.

GERMANS LEARN DEMOCRACY IN CAMP ELECTION SAYS SGT. ROTH

The Public Relations Officer at Camp Wheeler, Georgia, sent the following story to The Gettysburg Times. It was written by Sgt. G. Henry Roth, former member of the news staff of The Times and recently discharged from service. The officer stated it was "one of the best stories to come to the Public Relations Office." It follows in full:

"The German prisoners of war at Camp Wheeler, Georgia, go democratic, request a free election—and hold it.

"This rebuttal of Nazi indoctrination today was released by Lt. Col. R. E. Patterson, Boone, Iowa, commander of the Wheeler prisoner of war establishment.

"The Germans at our camp," Col. Patterson stated, "came into contact with democracy in action while engaged in their daily work, and strove to learn about the workings of America. As a result, they recently held what was for them their first free and democratic election."

"The election was for a prisoner spokesman and was conducted along the lines as a regular American election with registration of voters, campaign speeches by the candidates, and secret ballots.

Ran It Themselves
"After giving the PW's information about how a democratic election works, Col. Patterson asserted, the prison officials left the entire matter up to the prisoners themselves, and were merely present to help with the details.

"Primaries were held by a council of 35 prisoner representatives from all of the prisoner companies in the camp. Each company selected a man for the spokesman's post. Five appeared before the council to outline their ideas about the position. The council voted, with the two men getting the highest number of votes chosen as the candidates.

"Prior to the election each prisoner registered as a voter at regular registration desks, with clerks from their companies acting as registration officials. About 98 per cent of the men took part.

"The night before voting, the two candidates were given ten minutes each to speak over the prison loud speaker system in order to outline their conceptions of the job and to give the prisoners a chance to know the men and to decide for whom to vote.

Democracy In Action
"Next day, registered voters received regular ballots at the polls and stepped into one of the three voting booths. Behind curtains they marked their ballots, then folded them, and dropped them into a regular voting box.

"Most of the prisoners seemed to show a desire to learn what democracy in action is like. Col. Patterson pointed out, and they were given every aid in finding out. Some of the men, when they return to Germany, may continue to carry on the work for democracy which they began here. Several of the prisoners already have placed posters around their camp advocating democracy in an effort to convince their fellow prisoners that it is the best form of government.

"The election," Col. Patterson concluded, "was friendly and democratic throughout. It was, further, the best, biggest and most effective lesson in democracy held in this camp because it was practical, down to earth and nearly every man took part."

DOUBLE TRAGEDY
Harrisburg, Jan. 1 (AP)—Mrs. Martha C. Hawk, 83, died Monday from burns received when her clothing caught fire while cooking at an oil stove.

A few hours after Mrs. Hawk was taken to a hospital, Mr. and Mrs. John Young, with whom she resided, received word from the War Department that their son, Pvt. John Young, was considered dead. He had been missing since the battle of the bulge last December.

Wounded GI'S Leg Broken In R. R. Station Rush

Sgt. George Timko (left), wounded combat veteran of Perryopolis, Pa., lies in a hospital bed at Ft. Myer, Va., talking to Capt. O. B. Barger (center) and Army Nurse Anna E. Emerick after sustaining a broken leg and body bruises when knocked off his crutches by a throng shoving through a train gate last Friday at Washington, D. C., Union Station. (AP Wirephoto)



195 COUPLES GET LICENSES IN '45; 40 BEGIN DIVORCE SUITS

There were more than ten times as many marriage licenses issued in Adams county during 1945 than there were divorce decrees granted, and the number of marriage licenses exceeded the preceding year by 55.

Total number of licenses issued at the office of Mrs. Emma E. Sheffer, clerk of the courts, was 195, compared with 140 for 1944. June, the "month of brides" was the leader again during 1945, but December was a close second. There were 29 issued in mid-summer, and 24 in the month which closed Monday.

The increasing number of servicemen returning to their homes during the latter part of the year was credited with being the reason for the good showing made by December.

Divorce Actions Double
Next to the runner-up month was July with 19, and then a three-way tie, with May, October and November each showing 17 licenses issued, while August had 16. April, chalked up 15 and September 14. January had 12, and February nine, while March was the low month of the year, with only six.

A check of the records of the office of Adams County Prothonotary Arthur H. Shields showed that 40 divorce actions were started during the year. Out of this number, 19 decrees were granted, and two actions were dismissed.

In 1944 there were 20 divorce actions started here and 16 decrees granted.

NOW A SERGEANT
Earl Ecker, son of Mrs. Viola Ecker, Biglerville, who is now stationed on Okinawa, recently was promoted to the rank of sergeant.

FIND SKELETON
Liverpool, Pa., Jan. 1 (AP)—An unidentified skeleton, believed to be that of a mature man, was found by two trappers Sunday along backwaters of the Susquehanna river three miles south of here. Dr. J. Edward Book, Perry county coroner, said the body had been in the water six to seven months.

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Chelmsford, Mass., Jan. 1 (AP)—Four persons were burned to death today and several others escaped when fire destroyed a one and one-half story home.

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Couple Observes 15th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Paul W. Little, 200 Steinwehr avenue, who were married on January 1, 1930, observed their 15th wedding anniversary today at their home with a family dinner for ten.

Among the guests were the Rev. and Mrs. Howard S. Fox. Mr. Fox performed the wedding ceremony shortly after coming to Gettysburg to take up his pastorate of the Trinity Evangelical and Reformed church.

Ten guests were expected for a family supper party this evening.

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TOWN FOLKS RELAXING TODAY AFTER PARTIES

Gettysburgians relaxed today after welcoming a new year in the traditional carnival spirit, in celebrations, planned and impromptu, which began early Monday evening and continued into the wee, small, and not so small, hours this morning. Today the town was quiet with nearly all business places closed.

The spirit of revelry was in evidence throughout the borough and manifested itself in dances, a midnight show, dinners and affairs in private homes. Others saw the old year out and the new one in at midnight services at several of the churches.

It was a hilarious but, for the most part, orderly New Year's Eve celebration. Borough police reported that they made no arrests and experienced no trouble whatever of a serious nature.

One or two "parties" which became more boisterous than others were "broken up" police said, but these street disturbances were the exception rather than the rule.

Gettysburg residents, celebrating their first New Year with the country at peace since 1940, had a good time, and let it go at that. Many soldiers, sailors and marines, and members of the merchant marine, home or in Gettysburg for the holiday, augmented the number of revelers. Hundreds of discharged servicemen and women spent their first New Year's at home and in civilian clothes in several years.

Promptly at the stroke of midnight, bells, factory whistles and automobile horns said a discordant farewell to 1945, and welcomed the infant 1946. Men and women in paper hats tooted on horns or rang bells and disported with other noisemakers on the streets or at the dances and parties.

The sands of the old hour glass had run out. A new year had begun.

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To Show Films At Fairfield Church

On Friday evening at 7 o'clock the Fairfield Mennonite church will present two sound films. The one deals with India, "Gateway to India," and the other tells the experience of our Marines and Army men in the Pacific Islands — showing how they found many natives carrying on fine Christian work. Its title is "We Too Receive."

Admission is free. There will be a free-will offering. The public is cordially invited.

MARSHALL AND CHINESE RED LEADER CONFER

Chungking, Jan. 1 (AP)—Gen. George C. Marshall conferred for two hours today with Communist Gen. Chou En-Lai amid indications the American war leader would accept the role of peacemaker in China's turbulent internal affairs.

The presidential envoy's staff declined to disclose the nature of the discussions, but it was believed the conversation covered a wide range—including particularly the Communists' proposal for an unconditional truce in the fighting in North China and the Central government's counter proposal.

Although the Communists previously had presented their side in broad outline to General Marshall, it was the first long talk between the two.

Is Good Omen
The meeting was considered as signifying that the Communists are not opposed to the idea of Marshall acting as mediator between them and the Central government. It was indicated earlier by a member of Marshall's staff that he would accept the role of peacemaker.

The spokesman said that the presidential envoy obviously could not announce his stand until the Communists had replied to the government's peace proposals, but that it was a "pretty good assumption" that the Central government had consulted the American war leader.

Under Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek's counter proposals, each side would appoint a representative to confer with General Marshall on procedures for cessation of hostilities and restoration of communications in strife-torn North China. The government called also for impartial observers to see that such a truce is kept.

American Is Feted
Gen. Chou En-Lai, head of the Communist delegation to the forthcoming peace and unity conference, and other Communist leaders in Chungking were unavailable for comment on the government's counter offer. It was assumed that the proposal had been sent to Yenan, in Manchuria, for consideration by the party's central executive committee.

General Marshall, at a state banquet last night, extended good wishes of President Truman to the Chinese people and expressed hope that the two nations "will go hand in hand in a peaceful, prosperous world."

Chiang lauded the American general in glowing terms, toasted the health of President Truman and expressed hopes for lasting cooperation among the United Nations.

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1945 WEATHER WAS MILD WITH CHILLY FINISH

Although 1945 closed with one of the coldest Decembers on record here, weather records of Dr. Henry Stewart, local observer, showed today that eight months of last year were warmer than normal and seven of them showed surpluses of rainfall.

The sub-zero readings taken here December 23 and 24 made last month the fifth December in 45 years in which sub-zero weather has come to Gettysburg.

The coldest December weather ever recorded here was on December 21, 1942, when a low of 14 below zero was reached. In 1917 there was a reading of nine below equalling a mark set in December, 1914. In 1910 a low of two below zero was reached on December 10.

41 Inches of Snow in '45
On the average each day last month was 2.8 degrees colder than normal December weather should be here. The New Year arrived with the mercury four degrees below freezing.

December's 12 inches of snowfall boosted the 1945 total to 41 inches. That snowfall helped provide part of the total of 43.66 inches of precipitation for the year—1.24 inches above the normal figure.

February and December were the coldest months and February was the only other month recording a sub-zero temperature before December. On February 4 the mercury dropped to one below.

Colder Than '44
Hottest day of the year here was June 30 with a temperature of 97 degrees making it the hottest June 30 in Gettysburg weather records.

The year 1945 had much colder weather than 1944 but the latter year saw the mercury go much higher than in 1945. The low temperature for 1944 was five above zero on December 22 but its hottest day was August 12 when the mercury soared to 101 degrees. 1944 was nearly three inches short on rainfall.

The detailed report for the month of December in the year just ended shows that freezing temperatures were recorded on 28 of the 31 days and that on 12 of those days the mercury never climbed above the 32-degree mark. Twelve days were listed as clear, seven as partly cloudy and the 12 others as cloudy.

DEGAULLE MAY RESIGN POST

Paris, Jan. 1 (AP)—President DeGaulle threatened today to resign with his cabinet in protest against a Socialist-Communist attempt in the Consultative Assembly to slash national defense credits 20 per cent.

The actions plunged France into another serious governmental crisis.

The Socialist party, second most numerous in the Assembly, proposed last night the cut of one fifth in the government's request for 125,000,000,000 francs (\$1,049,450,088) for the army in the first quarter of 1946. They found immediate support from the Communist party, largest group in the Assembly.

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TRUMAN NAMES NEW BOARD IN STEEL DISPUTE

By STERLING F. GREEN

Washington, Jan. 1 (AP)—The steel industry looked to President Truman today for a new plea that the scheduled strike of 100,000 CIO steel workers two weeks hence be postponed while a new fact finding board explores the dispute.

A decision to defer the walkout would keep the nation's basic industry running while the fact finding board, named last night, delves into the union's \$2 daily wage increase demand and while OPA reconsiders the industry's request for a price increase.

Such a move would be in line with White House labor policy. When he announced a month ago that a fact-finding board would be set up, Mr. Truman requested that the industry and the steel workers stay on the production job.

Appeal Hinted

Later, however, the union set January 14 for a strike at nearly 800 steel, iron ore and aluminum plants. Questioned whether the stay-at-work appeal would be renewed, Eben Ayres, White House press aide, said he "had no information now." There were hints in other government quarters, however, that it might be forthcoming.

The United States Steel Corporation, pace setter for the industry in price and wage policy, has declared that further wage discussions would be futile unless steel prices are increased to offset past rises in labor and materials costs.

It appointing the investigation board—to inquire into the U. S. steel dispute—Mr. Truman allowed it until February 10 to report its findings and recommendations for settlement. This would give the fact finders the benefit of OPA's decision, requested by the president by February 1 on "whether any price increases would be proper."

Review By OPA

Several weeks ago OPA held that a price increase was not justified then on the evidence submitted by steel makers. It agreed, however, to review its decision when costs and profits figures for the final quarter of 1945 became available sometime after the New Year.

An OPA decision in favor of higher price ceilings would re-open one avenue of the settlement for the long-deadlocked dispute.

So seriously do some officials regard the prospect of a nationwide steel shutdown that many declare privately the government would have to seize the giant industry to prevent reconversion from grinding to a halt.

EVE FETES ARE MOST COSTLY

New York, Jan. 1 (AP)—Cafe society welcomed the New Year in the biggest, most expensive celebration in history, even surpassing, according to the old speaky owners who now are quiet, dignified night club operators, the garish free-spend of prohibition days.

For the first time since before the war, it was a most formal celebration; in some places, such as the Stork, El Morocco, the Persian Room, evening dress was insisted upon. At El Morocco, the management wouldn't even accept the traditional black tie and demanded white tie and tails.

The big new Embassy club was packed to the doors and the crowds stood in line outside despite the highest tariff heard of in years—\$40 the couple, plus \$8 federal tax and 40 cents city tax.

The Stork club was sold out days in advance to such folk as the James A. Farleys, Screen Star Betty Hutton and her new husband, Ted Briskin; Morton Downey, and dozens of other celebrities.

In Toots Shor's, Joe DiMaggio, Orson Welles, Bert Lahr, Gertrude Niesen, Bert Wheeler and Toots himself made it a noisy and hail-fellow get-together.

A slightly quieter celebration went on at the highly exclusive Twenty-One, where the count was one Vanderbilt, one Whitney, a Lodge, three countesses, about two dozen millionaires and assorted movie and stage stars such as Sir Cedric Hardwicke.

Truman Disclaims Chaplain Remarks

Atlanta, Jan. 1 (AP)—Dr. Louis D. Newton, pastor of Druid Hills Baptist church, said today he had received a copy of a letter written by President Truman in which the chief executive "disassociated" himself from remarks concerning Protestant chaplains, allegedly made by Brig. Gen. Harry H. Vaughan military aide to the President.

"The highly controversial remarks attributed to General Vaughan—whether authentic or unauthentic—in no wise represent my views," said the letter. "General Vaughan was speaking in a private capacity in his own church, of which he is a ruling elder and in which he teaches a Sunday school class. Any views which he may have expressed were therefore his own, not mine. I completely disassociate myself from them."

Social Happenings

Phone Gettysburg 640 or Biglerville 8

Mrs. Walter Leher and children, Florence and Conrad, and Miss Mary Custode, East Orange, N. J., are guests of Mrs. Leher's mother, Mrs. John Williams.

S. 2 e Bishop has returned to Norfolk, Va., after spending a 10 day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Bishop, Natural Dam.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Miller are leaving today to spend the winter at St. Petersburg, Fla.

Miss Isabelle Rife has returned to Ypsilanti, Mich., to resume her teaching duties as a member of the faculty of the State Teachers' college after spending the Christmas holidays with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil P. Boyd, Baltimore street.

Dr. Albert Bachman of the college faculty has returned from Chicago where he attended the annual meeting of the Modern Language Association of America.

The Thursday Afternoon Bridge club will meet at the regular time this week with Mrs. C. Richard Wolff, York street.

Miss Molly Rice has returned to State college after the Christmas holidays which she spent with her mother, Mrs. Olive Rice.

The Play Reading club members were entertained Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Rice, West Broadway.

Miss Helen Keefeauver returned to Doylestown today to resume her teaching duties after spending the Christmas vacation with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Lloyd C. Keefeauver, Springs avenue.

Mrs. Luther C. Plank, Table Rock, entertained the members of the Monday Evening Bridge club at the home of Mrs. Henry Kalbfleisch. The next meeting will be held Monday afternoon, January 14, at the home of Mrs. John Walter, Baltimore street. The club will meet regularly on Monday afternoons this winter.

Miss Margaret Major has returned to Ardmore after spending Christmas at her home here.

A combined meeting of the Silver Circle and the Women's Missionary society of St. James Lutheran church will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the church parlor.

Rescue Efforts At Mine Abandoned

Pineville, Ky., Jan. 1 (AP)—Rescue work has been replaced by relief work in this southeastern mining community where an explosion last Wednesday killed 24 of the 31 men trapped in the Number One pit of the Kentucky Straight Creek coal company.

All hope of saving any more of the men was abandoned yesterday and orders issued to seal the still-burning mine tomorrow.

The executive board of District 19, United Mine Workers, was to meet at Middlesboro today "to create means to take care of the widows and orphans of the victims." District President A. V. Vales said, "we want to take care of them not only now but in the future."

Capt. Gerald Case, commanding officer of the Lexington Salvation Army post, appealed for clothing for the children. He said an urgent need existed for clothing for children under 10 years old.

Harry Thomas, head of the state department of mines and minerals, announced that the increasing dangers to which scores of rescue workers were exposed made it inadvisable to continue recovery efforts.

STRUCK BY AUTO

Philadelphia, Jan. 1 (AP)—Andrew Wargo, Jr., 29, of Phoenixville suffered leg injuries today when he was struck by a car in suburban Ardmore. He was taken to Bryn Mawr hospital.

The "genties" used as bait by English anglers, are the maggots of the common blowfly of Europe.



TEXAN — Kyle McDonnell, San Antonio, represents her state in a series of Texas celebrations in New York City.

Engagement

Sibert—Dellinger

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dellinger have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Brunetta Louise Dellinger, to Emory E. Sibert, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Sibert, Gettysburg R. 4. The engagement was announced at a Christmas dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul W. Dellinger, Gettysburg R. 4. No date has been announced for the wedding.

Those present for the dinner included Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dellinger and children, Brunetta, Robert, Betty, Vivian, Gerald, Virginia, Ronald and Beverly; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Fallor and children, Donna and Lester, Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. A. U. Walker, Jr., and son, Richard; Mr. and Mrs. Paul W. Dellinger, Jr., and daughter, Joyce; Miss Jean Kint and Emory Sibert.

Weddings

Orndorff—Hartlaub

Miss Corinne M. Hartlaub, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hartlaub, 148 Second street, McSherrystown, and S. 1/C John E. Orndorff, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Orndorff, Hanover, were married Saturday evening at 6:30 o'clock in the rectory of the Church of the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary, McSherrystown. The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Cyril J. Allwein. The bride was attended by her sister, Mrs. Robert Smith, as matron of honor. The bridegroom had as his best man Joseph Gebhart, brother-in-law of the bride.

The bridegroom is on an 18-day leave from the Corpus Christi, Texas, Naval Air Station. The bride will reside with her parents after her husband returns to his station.

Heffner—Topper

Miss Evelyn Topper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Topper, York Springs R. D., and Lawrence Heffner, Dillsburg, were united in marriage in the York Springs Methodist church on Sunday afternoon, December 23. The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Earl N. Rowe, Williamsburg, former pastor of the York Springs church, assisted by the Rev. Paul N. Denlinger, present pastor. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

Mrs. W. C. Mummert, Abbottstown, sister of the bride, was matron of honor, and Miss Mary Mauser, Harrisburg, was bridesmaid. P. L. Richard Heffner, Scott Field, Ill., brother of the bridegroom, was best man. The ushers were George Chronister, uncle of the bridegroom; Dale Williams and Glenn Albert. Dale Roth sang and Alma Roth played the wedding music.

Mrs. Heffner is a graduate of York Springs high school and Central Pennsylvania Business college, Harrisburg. She has been employed by the state Department of Public Instruction. Mr. Heffner recently received a discharge after serving 27 months in the European theater. Approximately 150 persons attended a reception in the social room of the church following the ceremony. After a wedding trip the couple will reside in Harrisburg.

Abbottstown

Abbottstown—W. W. Hafer sold his property on the square in Abbottstown to George Hollinger. Mr. Hafer and family will move to Hanover in the near future. The property was built by Mr. Hafer's ancestors over 50 years ago and members of the Hafer family have resided there ever since.

Major and Mrs. Kenneth H. Benson, former residents of Abbottstown, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hafer.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Nagle, New York city, spent the week-end with Mr. Nagle's mother, Mrs. E. Grace Nagle.

Samuel Grim of the Seabees arrived home Sunday. He was serving on Saipan at the end of the war.

Walter Alwine was host to a family dinner served in the social rooms of the Reformed church on Christmas night. After the dinner he took some of the guests to their homes. On his return trip he fell asleep and lost control of his car in front of Norman Miller's place and crashed into a stone wall. Mr. Alwine was uninjured but the car was badly damaged.

Mrs. Sarah Noel who passed her 89th birthday, was admitted to the Hanover hospital several days ago. She had been ill for about three weeks.

Pvt. Guy Kinneman has returned from Europe and has re-enlisted and is now spending a 30-day furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Kinneman.

Stork Derby Ends With Sexes Tied

Philadelphia, Jan. 1 (AP)—The city's annual New Year's stork derby ended in a dead heat between the sexes. A seven-pound boy was born at 12:01 a. m. in St. Agnes hospital to Mrs. Matthew Casey, of Camden, N. J. At the same time Mrs. Sarah Bradley of Philadelphia, gave birth to a seven-pound boy in Hahnemann hospital.

Rats cooperate in stealing food—two doing a job that one cannot pull off alone.

STEEL STRIKE HEADLINES U. S. LABOR PICTURE

By the Associated Press

President Truman's move to avert a nationwide strike in the steel industry, scheduled for January 14, headlined the nation's labor picture today as the New Year began with 382,000 workers idle because of continuing disputes.

The president named a fact-finding board to study the wage dispute between management and the CIO Steelworkers Union which has planned a strike of its 700,000 members in support of a \$2-a-day wage increase demand. Mr. Truman also asked OPA to reconsider industry's request for a price boost on steel products.

The threat of a strike January 7 by 50,000 AFL employees of Western Union was eased as the general committee of the AFL Commercial Telegraphers Union recommended that its 58 W. U. locals accept a War Labor Board award of wage increases averaging 12 cents an hour. Company officials and leaders of a CIO union representing telegraph workers in New York withheld comment pending receipt of the WLB ruling.

New Strike Thursday

Hopes faded for halting a strike scheduled Thursday by 19,000 Western Electric company employees in New York and New Jersey in support of their demand for a 30 percent wage hike. A federal conciliator said the company is not willing to go beyond its offer of a 15 percent boost. A sympathy walkout of 450,000 telephone workers throughout the country has been threatened if the Western Electric strike starts.

There was a lull in the General Motors dispute. The company and the CIO United Auto Workers Union expressed willingness to resume wage negotiations but no date has been set. Nearly 400,000 workers in the automotive industry, including some 200,000 strikers at General Motors, were idle during the holiday. A government fact-finding board report on the General Motors dispute was expected Thursday as the walkout entered its seventh week.

DOUG PRAISES JAP EMPEROR'S NEW RESCRIPT

Tokyo, Jan. 1 (AP)—General MacArthur praised today Emperor Hirohito's new year's rescript aimed at the democratization of the thought of the Japanese people along with the liberalization of their government.

The emperor's pronouncement, unparalleled in the annals of the rulers of the rising sun empire, told the people their traditional conception of the emperor as a divine person was a "false conception," and that the Japanese were not ordained to rule the earth.

"The emperor's statement pleases me very much," MacArthur said. "By it he undertakes a leading part in the democratization of his people. He squarely takes his stand for the future along liberal lines."

Quits Super Role

"We stand by the people and we wish always to share with them in their moments of joys and sorrows," the Mikado said in casting off his role of superman and urging the Japanese love of family and country be made a force for the good of all mankind.

MacArthur likewise addressed a New Year's message to the Japanese telling them that a "new day dawns for Japan" needing only the awakening of the masses to the knowledge that "they now have the power to govern, and what is done must be done by themselves."

However, the course of the New Year was not so clear to many observers of the Japanese scene, who expressed new cause for alarm in discovering under the Moscow control agreement, the Japanese governmental and constitutional changes would be subject to the control commission and council, rather than to MacArthur's directives.

Police Arrest Slaying Suspect

Detroit, Jan. 1 (AP)—State Police disclosed today they had taken a 27-year-old civilian into custody at Jackson, Mich., for questioning in the brutal slaying here Sunday of Mrs. Gladys Marsden, 40, an Army ordinance clerk.

The officers said the man, whose description tallied with that of Mrs. Marsden's last known companion, admitted that he occasionally wore an army uniform. Mrs. Marsden's battered body was found in a west side school yard a few hours after she left a tavern with a man wearing a soldier's uniform.

Police Inspector Charles E. Searle said detectives of the Detroit homicide squad have been sent to Jackson to question the man.

Detroit police meanwhile continued questioning of patrons and employees of the tavern.

Fredrich von Plotow (1812-83), German composer, was educated for the diplomatic service.

Upper Communities

Mrs. George Brindle, Chambersburg, is visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bosserman, Arendtsville.

William E. Loftin left Monday night for Harvard Business college at Cambridge, Mass., after spending the holidays with Mrs. Loftin and their daughter at the home of Mrs. Loftin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren K. Enck. Mrs. Loftin and daughter are remaining for a month's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Deardorff of Waynesboro spent Sunday with Mr. Deardorff's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arb Deardorff of Aspers.

Miss Betty Roddy left today to resume her studies at the Indiana State Teachers' college after spending the Christmas holidays at her home in Biglerville.

Miss Doris Dugan who is a student nurse at the Harrisburg hospital spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Dugan, Bendersville.

Miss Gladys Ecker of Heidelsburg spent the week-end in Lemoyne as a guest of Miss Betty Sterling. Miss Sterling returned home with her guest for a visit of several days.

Stanley Gochenauer of the Merchant Marines is spending a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Gochenauer, Biglerville R. D. He arrived recently at Sheepshead Bay from a trip to France.

Mr. and Mrs. Hewitt Worthington and son of Hagerstown spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Worthington's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Roth of Biglerville.

DEATH TOLL SOARS TO 318

(By The Associated Press) Violent deaths throughout the country over the extended New Year's holiday totaled at least 318 today, with more than one half victims of traffic accidents.

The death toll from motor accidents on streets and highways, many of them ice-coated, was 161, while 157 persons suffered violent deaths from a variety of causes. These included fires, explosions, drownings, shootings, stabbings, airplane crashes and falls.

In New York state, which topped the states in violent deaths with 32, one fatality from alcoholism was reported. Illinois and Pennsylvania were next in reporting the most deaths, each with 27. New York's total of 32 included 12 traffic fatalities.

The National Safety Council, which estimated between 375 and 400 traffic deaths from Saturday through today, also predicted the heaviest single day's total would be on New Year's Day.

Twelve states reported no violent deaths since 6 p. m. last Friday. Violent deaths by states, divided as to traffic and miscellaneous causes, included: Maryland 3-0; New Jersey 4-7; New York 12-20; Ohio 4-9; Pennsylvania 19-8; West Virginia 1-3.

Fits Description Of Hitler's Son

London, Jan. 1 (AP)—Reuters, in a Nurnberg dispatch, reported today that Czechoslovak police have arrested a 12-year-old boy who may be Hitler's son. The youth's description was said to fit that of the picture of a boy found with Hitler's documents.

Scottish and Chinese music have something in common, as both work with the pentatonic or five tone scale.



V E T — Sgt. Nathan Pruitt, 58, a veteran of two wars, wears many medals, stripes and chevrons after 35 years in the Army. He is from Junction City, Kansas.

Martin Asks For Industrial Peace

Harrisburg, Jan. 1 (AP)—Governor Martin, calling today for "industrial peace," asked Pennsylvanians in a New Year's message to pray "for the removal of the disturbing elements that beset the heart of the nation and the souls of men."

"There is peace on the battlefronts, a dearly won peace for which our boys fought and died," the governor said in a statement.

He declared the individual is the source from which all good things stem. His is the obligation. His sense of duty will gain the proper other way. The elimination of chaotic conditions is a task for every one of us.

All Pennsylvanians were asked by Martin to attend the church of their choice the first week-end of the New Year and to pray that "our prayers be followed by concrete action on the part of each and every one of us."

Hollywood

By Bob Thomas

Hollywood, Jan. 1 (AP)—Now that 1945 has blown out the window it's time to review its happenings. Here's how the Hollywood year looked to this reporter:

Biggest news event: The strike, climaxed by the battle at Warners' studio.

Best documentary: "The True Glory," probably the best picture of any type last year.

Best dramatic film: "A Tree Grows in Brooklyn."

Best musical: "State Fair."

Best war pictures: "The Story of G. I. Joe" for the army; "They Were Expendable" for the navy.

Most engrossing: "The Lost Weekend."

Most impressive comeback: Joan Crawford in "Mildred Pierce."

Most surprising news: Rita Hayworth's separation from Orson Welles.

Worst picture: "Salome Where She Danced."

Biggest wedding: Shirley Temple to Sgt. Agar.

Most sensational wedding: Lauren Bacall to Humphrey Bogart.

Most important business deal: Consolidation of International, Universal and J. Arthur Rank's English interests.

Most artistic picture: "The Southener."

Most underrated: "The Picture of Dorian Gray."

Best male performance: James Dunn in "A Tree Grows in Brooklyn."

Best female performance: Ingrid Bergman in "Bells of St. Mary's."

Most important new male star: Gregory Peck.

Most important new female star: Jeanne Crain.

Outstanding Hollywood citizen: Joe E. Brown.

Best comedy: "Kiss and Tell."

Most promising band: Stan Kenton's.

Most important industry trend: Increase of independent production.

Most disappointing picture: "Yoland and the Thief."

Best news: Return of Clark Gable, Tyrone Power, Robert Taylor, James Stewart, Robert Montgomery, Ronald Reagan and all others from the service.

Least important news: That Greta Garbo would and then would not do a picture.

Best short: "Star in the Night."

Best song: "It Might as Well be Spring" from "State Fair" for ballad; "A.T. and S.F." from "The Harvey Girls" for novelty.

Best hope: For a peaceful and prosperous 1946.

Countians Given Discharges Monday

Names of one officer and seven enlisted men from Adams county are included in the list of names of men discharged from the army on the last day of 1945 at Indiantown Gap military reservation.

The list of countians follows: Lt. Paul I. Orner, Arendtsville; S. Sgt. Charles A. Heintzelman, Gettysburg R. 2; T. 4 William A. Moore, Littlestown R. 2; Pfc. Ira J. Cutchall, Arendtsville; Pfc. Karl H. Kuykendall, Gettysburg R. 4; T. 5 John C. Bowers, Gettysburg R. 2; Cpl. Joseph D. Pierce, New Oxford R. 1; and Pfc. Donald G. Dooley, Fairfield R. 1.

Troopship Reports Loss Of Propeller

London, Jan. 1 (AP)—A shipping radio station at Lands End picked up a message today that the 7,196-ton U. S. steamer John B. Hood, carrying 550 troops, was wallowing off the Azores without a propeller and needed immediate assistance.

Another message said the U. S. steamer Marion McKinley Bovard was standing by to help the Hood.

Sailors Approve Change In Uniform

Washington, Jan. 1 (AP)—The sailor in the street had mixed reactions today to the navy's proposal to monkey with his monkey suit. In a poll taken by a reporter, the sailors favored a change by about 2 to 1. The navy started all this by discussing last night that it is considering a new uniform. Under the proposed new design, ordinary trousers will replace the old bell-bottoms, and a jumper type shirt will be used instead of the present skin-tight jumper.

This outfit, the navy hastily explained, is just in the trial stage. It will be three months before tests are completed and recommendations made.

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FOOTBALL DISH WILL ATTRACT 400,000 CROWD

Sports Roundup

By SID FEDER
(For Hugh Fullerton)

New York, Jan. 1 (AP)—Football comes back for a final spree today with 13 gridiron carnivals expected to attract close to 400,000 fans to the festivities.

Far western prestige will be at stake in the two biggest contests as southern California takes on the all-conquering Alabama eleven in Pasadena's Rose Bowl and the galloping Gaels of St. Mary's tilt with the unbeaten and untied Oklahoma Aggies in New Orleans' Sugar Bowl.

The speedy, spectacular Alabamians, with a quick-striking offensive built around Hurlin Harry Gilmer, are 13-point favorites to humiliate the three-beaten Trojans before some 90,000 fans in the Rose Bowl.

The 72,000 customers in the Sugar Bowl will center their attention on two widely-heralded All-America backs—St. Mary's Herman Wedemeyer and the Aggies' Bob Penimore. With a heavier line and more reserves, Penimore and Co. have been made a 13-point choice to tote home the pigskin for the Stillwater trophy case.

West Favorites
The east-west shrine charity clash in San Francisco, where a gathering of at least 60,000 spectators is anticipated, finds the western stars, led by durable Jake Leicht of Oregon, 14-point favorites to best the aerial-minded easterners who boast two crack passers in Cornell's Allan Dekdebrun and Penn's Bob Evans.

With triple-threat Stan Koslowski ready to go, the Holy Cross crusaders are banking on a high-powered offensive to shatter the University of Miami's formidable line in Miami's Orange Bowl classic. Since Koslowski was pronounced fit to play the odds have dropped making Miami a 10-point instead of a 13-point favorite. A sellout throng of 36,000 is assured for the contest.

Dallas' Cotton Bowl has sold out its 45,500 seats for the battle between conference champions, Texas, winner of the southwest conference title and nine of its ten games, is a 14-point choice to whip the three-beaten Missouri Tigers who captured the big six pennant.

May Be Thriller
Tulsa, one of the powers of the southwest, opposed Charley Trippi and his Georgia mates in Houston's Oil Bowl. A crowd of 27,000 is anticipated for this contest which may be the most thrilling of them all. Georgia is rated 5½ points stronger.

New Mexico is a 7-point favorite to whip Denver before 15,000 customers in El Paso's Sun Bowl. Wake Forest's Deacons and the South Carolina Gamecocks stage a repeat performance in the Gator Bowl at Jacksonville, Fla. Although the teams tied 13-all in their regular season clash, the Deacons have been given a 13-point edge.

Drake opposes Fresno State in the new Raisin Bowl at Fresno, Calif., while the deep south will be the scene of the other four bowl programs. Birmingham, Ala., stages the Vulcan Bowl meeting of Tennessee State and Texas college and Florida offers the Flower Bowl at Jacksonville matching Louisiana Normal and Lane college, the Orlando Azalea Bowl pairing Knoxville college and Florida N. and I., and Miami's Coconut Bowl pitting Bethune-Cookman college against Albany (Ga.) State Teachers'.

Widdoes Reported Seeking Release

Columbus, O., Jan. 1 (AP)—Carroll Widdoes, who directed Ohio State to one Big Ten football championship and 16 victories in 18 games in two years, was reliably reported today to have asked that someone else take over the job as head coach of the Bucks.

Officially, there wasn't a word from anyone but informed sources said the offer had been made and would be acted upon by the Ohio State Athletic Board tomorrow night.

L. W. St. John, athletic director, refused either to confirm or deny the reports. He said Widdoes would be offered a 1946 contract but would not say whether as head coach or as an assistant.

Widdoes said any statement would have to come from St. John. After making that assertion early yesterday evening he again conferred with St. John, then repeated that he athletic director would have to be the talking.

Talk started immediately that Paul Bixler, who has been assistant both to Paul E. Brown and Widdoes, would trade jobs with the present mentor.

Bixler said the job had not been offered him but would accept it if it were.

Undeclared Quints Play Philly Teams

Philadelphia, Jan. 1 (AP)—University of Kentucky and University of Wyoming, two of the nation's five undefeated major college basketball teams, will tangle with Philadelphia Quints in the annual convention ball new year doubleheader tonight. Kentucky, with seven straight wins, tackles twice-beaten Temple university and the cowboys from Wyoming will risk its seven-straight record to the St. Joseph's college live.

New York, Jan. 1 (AP)—Wrestling outdrew boxing in attendance in Illinois last year. . . . Or should that be an April 1, instead of a January 1, item? . . . Around the Midwest they're predicting flatly that within five years the Rose Bowl each New Year's Day will be a closed corporation between the Big Ten and the Pacific Coast conference champions. . . . Happy Chandler to the contrary notwithstanding, racing can take a bow for giving more than \$25,000,000 to war charities since Pearl Harbor. . . . Can baseball—or any other sport—match it?

HAPPY NEW YEAR
This is the day you look under the bed to see if that's where you left your head last night.

KEEP MOVING—YOU'RE A TARGET

When Jack Harding, coach of the Miami Orange Bowlers, piloted the Scranton U. gridders a few years back, he spent his spare time third-basing for Binghamton in the New York-Penn League. . . . Jack hopes his Miami line hits Holy Cross harder today than he hit minor league pitching, no doubt. . . . After watching heavyweight "contenders" Joe Baksi and Freddie Schott waltzing around in the Garden last Friday, you got the idea Louis and Conn better start worrying about their ballet routine.

BOUNCING AROUND

Pot O'Luck may make his 1946 debut for Ben Jones in the \$10,000 Gulfstream Park handicap. . . . Bill Dickey says the hottest ball player he saw in the service was Peevée Reese, the Brooklyn Dodgers shortstop. . . . On his coast tour, Joe Louis shook hands in Seattle with Tommy Burns, the Canadian contender who was the party of the second part when Jack Johnson won the heavyweight title in Australia. . . . Joe looked up and down Tommy's five-foot-seven frame. . . . "Glad to know you, Mr. Burns," he grinned, "boy, you sure are the lightest heavyweight I ever saw."

MARGIN IS CUT ON ALABAMANS

By BILL BECKER
Pasadena, Calif., Jan. 1 (AP)—Harry (the arm) Gilmer's passing vs. the rugged running of Ted Tannehill. That was the way the expert opinion boiled down for today's Rose Bowl grid classic between undefeated, untied Alabama and the University of Southern California Trojans, Pacific Coast Conference champions, before a probable crowd of 93,000.

The question was whether Gilmer, top collegiate passer of 1945, could throw to more touchdowns than Trojan Tannehill could run. The majority of experts thought the arm would prevail, although generally there was a comedown from the feeling Alabama was 13 points better.

The broken jaw of Lowell Tew, the Crimson Tide's best running back, and the powerful impression made in the past week by USC's big 203-pound average line whittled the consensus margin to 10 points, by one touchdown.

The Trojans won all eight of their previous Rose Bowl games, while Alabama boasted the best record of any eastern representative—three wins, one loss, one tie. Cravath also was aiming to become the first Rose Bowl coach to record three straight wins. His teams defeated Washington, 29-0, in 1944, and Tennessee, 25-0, last year.

Auction bridge originated in India, when three English members of the Indian civil service found it impossible to find a fourth. In seeking a three-handed form of bridge, they hit upon the idea of bidding for the declaration.

GREETINGS



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LOCAL QUINTS SET TO RESUME COURT ACTION

After a holiday lapse in the local basketball schedule all county scholastic teams, as well as Gettysburg college, are looking forward to the resumption of their schedules this week.

The only game listed for a local court this week is the Juniata-Gettysburg college game which will be played Saturday evening. The game was originally scheduled for December 11 but was postponed due to an outbreak of grip on the Gettysburg campus which resulted in the closing of school early for the holidays.

Gettysburg high school unbeaten in three starts, plays a return game at York Friday evening. The game promises to be a hotly contested affair. The Maroons rallied a 46-39 victory here on December 18.

The Adams County Scholastic cage league will get underway Friday night with all members seeing action.

The league schedule for Friday is as follows: East Berlin at Fairfield; Littlestown at Biglerville; and Arendtsville at New Oxford. Boys' and girls' games will be played in each instance. New Oxford will play at York Springs tonight.

Delone Catholic resumes court activities next Sunday when Loyola, of Baltimore, will be met at McSherrystown.

Los Angeles Open Will Start Friday

Los Angeles, Jan. 1 (AP)—Golf-don'ts near-great, begin qualifying rounds over seven courses tomorrow for the \$13,333 Los Angeles open tournament starting Friday. The "great" don't have to qualify. The qualifying round, over 36 holes, will determine the 60 to 70 positions remaining to be filled on the player roster. Tournament officials report that most of the big names of the sport will be on hand for the opening round.

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9 HEAD OF HOGS—One sow, 3 pigs, weaned and dressed. **POWER MACHINERY**—Oliver 70 tractor on good rubber; equipped with six speed transmission, starter, lights and cultivators. Seven-foot Oliver tractor, wheel mower on rubber. Oliver eight-foot cut tractor binder. Oliver eight-foot double tractor disc, eight-foot double cultipacker, Dellinger hammer mill, with dust collector and bagger attachment, in good condition; wood saw, sixty-foot endless rubber belt. Pappe fourteen-inch ensilage cutter, with fifty feet pipe; two-wheel car trailer, good rubber tire wagon with twenty-foot flat and hydraulic brakes; Oliver steel body manure spreader, No. 7, on rubber.

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DAIRY EQUIPMENT—Four-can Victor milk cooler, pre-war buckets and strainer, milk cart, ten 10-gallon milk cans. **POULTRY AND POULTRY EQUIPMENT**—250 young leader strain Leghorn hens laying 75%; feeders fountains 500-chick size oil brooder stove and all chick feeding equipment. Sale to begin at 11 A. M. Lunch stand reserved. Terms cash. J. MARLIN BURKHOLDER

Taskers Favored In Oleander Bowl

Galveston City, Tex., Jan. 1 (AP)—The Philadelphia Tasker Bears were favored slightly to defeat the Galveston all-stars when the two football teams clash tonight in the Oleander Bowl, site of the first annual benefit contest.

The Bears, sandlot eleven which copped the Pop Warner conference title in Philadelphia, were put through a strenuous drill session by Coach Nick Busillo. The All-stars, all former high school and college players, have been scrimmaging for several days.

Kick-off time is scheduled for 8 p. m. (C.S.T.). A crowd of more than 7,000 are expected to witness the game. Proceeds are to go to three Galveston orphanages.

Airborne Division Annexes Jap Title

Tokyo, Jan. 1 (AP)—The 11th Airborne Division, paced by fast-stepping Ralph Dunham, former University of South Carolina halfback, won the Japanese service football championship 25 to 12 over the 41st Division in the Tokyo Bowl.

The victory, before 15,000 persons, gave the Airborne Division the right to meet the champions of the Philippines here January 13 for the right to meet the Hawaiian All Stars for the Pacific championship here on January 26.

The 41st Division scored the first and the final touchdowns, but the 11th collected four of them in between, two by Dunham, who hails from Macon, Ga.

August Jones of Chester, Pa., scored the second Airborne tally from the half-yard mark in the second quarter.

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Bowl Games

New York, Jan. 1 (AP)—The New Year's day football game lineup with won and lost records of participants in parentheses, kickoff time, probable attendance and network broadcast time. (All times E.S.T.)

Rose Bowl at Pasadena, Calif.—Alabama (8-0-0) vs. Southern California (7-3-0), 5 p. m., 90,000, NBC 4:45 p. m.

Sugar Bowl at New Orleans—Oklahoma A. and M. (8-0-0) vs. St. Mary's (7-1-0), 3 p. m.; 72,000, ABC (American) 2:45 p. m.

East-West All-Stars at San Francisco—5 p. m., 60,000, MBS, 4:45 p. m.

Orange Bowl at Miami—Holy Cross (8-1-0) vs. Miami (Fla.) (8-1-1), 2 p. m., 36,000, CBS, 1:45 p. m.

Cotton Bowl at Dallas—Missouri (6-3-0) vs. Texas (9-1-0), 2:15 p. m., 45,500, MBS, 2 p. m.

Oil Bowl at Houston, Tex.—Georgia (8-2-0) vs. Tulsa (7-2-0), 2:30 p. m., 27,000.

Sun Bowl at El Paso, Tex.—Denver (4-4-1) vs. New Mexico (5-1-1), 4 p. m., 15,000, ABS (Associated), 4 p. m.

Gator Bowl at Jacksonville, Fla.—Wake Forest (3-3-1) vs. South Carolina, (2-3-3), 2:30 p. m., 14,000.

Raisin Bowl at Fresno, Calif.—Drake (4-4-1) vs. Fresno State (4-5-2), 4 p. m., 15,000.

Vulcan Bowl at Birmingham, Ala.—Tennessee State (7-2-0) vs. Texas College (6-2-1), 3:30 p. m., 6,500.

Flower Bowl at Jacksonville, Fla.—Louisiana Normal (8-2-0) vs. Lane College (5-1-0), 2:30 p. m., 6,000.

Azalea Bowl at Orlando, Fla.—Knoxville College (4-5-20) vs. Florida

New Agreement Ends Talon Strike

Meadville, Pa., Jan. 1 (AP)—Only the formal signing of an agreement, set for Wednesday, remained today to bring an end to a walkout that kept 3,500 workers idle more than two months at plants of Talon, Inc. Striking AFL-Tool and Die Makers voted approval of a new contract with the company yesterday, union officials announced. The dispute over wage demands started in Meadville Oct. 24 and later spread to the zipper plant in Erie.

A union statement said the agreement would be formally signed Wednesday.

N. and I. (6-1-0), 2:30 p. m., 7,000. Coconut Bowl at Miami, Fla.—Bethune-Cookman College (7-3-0) vs. Albany (Ga.) State Teachers (6-4-0), 2 p. m., 5,000.

nesday, but neither the union nor the company would disclose terms of the contract. However, it was believed to include an eight-cents-an-hour increase. The workers had originally sought a 10-cent-an-hour raise.

FIGHTING DOUBLE

Leavenworth, Kas., Jan. 1 (AP)—The war record of the 23-year-old twin Sebers, Byron and Bernard: Enlisted in the Air Forces together, trained in Texas and Ohio together, went overseas together, participated in the Biscarock archipelago, New Guinea and Philippine campaigns together, were awarded the same ribbons, were together on Okinawa when the Japanese surrendered, returned to the United States together, were discharged together, and returned to their home in Leavenworth together.

A Happy New Year 1946

We take this opportunity to express our sincere thanks and appreciation for your generous patronage and cooperation extended us in the year 1945. It is our wish that you all have a very Happy New Year, that 1946 brings you the many things you have been waiting for. We pledge ourselves to make every effort to supply all your needs as they become available.



Announcing NEW IMPROVEMENTS...

Meat Department

We have started to enlarge and modernize our slaughter house and it will be completed about February 1st. This will enable us to take care of our increased meat business, by having the space to process more hogs and cattle than ever before. We will also offer to the people of this community our slaughter house facilities at a nominal cost to take care of their own home butchering. This improvement will better enable us to meet the increased demands for our meat products.

Heavy Hardware Department

We have enlarged our heavy hardware department and will add each building and farm building need as it is available. Presently we have in stock fencing of all kinds, pipe fittings and pipe, toilet and bath equipment, pumps for deep and shallow wells, roll and asphalt roofing and many other items. Items such as metal roofing and other products of steel will be handled in the near future according to promises from our wholesale jobbers.

New Electrical Appliance Department*

We have signed a dealer franchise to sell ABC ELECTRIC WASHING MACHINES and GIBSON REFRIGERATORS under the supervision of Mr. Cyde Allison. These nationally-known makes will soon be on display, and as they are available, our customers will be given prompt delivery service. Other electrical appliances will be offered to our customers, and will be on display just as soon as the manufacturers release these items.

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Just Folks

By EDGAR A. GUEST

1946

Hey, young fellow, at the dawn of this morning you were born. But, like humans, poor or rich, You come here without a stitch. Every page of yours is white. And your record men must write. Time's the only certain thing Which to earth a year can bring.

You, as all the years before, Will possess the seasons four: Spring and summer, winter, fall, And the feast days one and all. In December you'll be gray. And at last you'll slip away. But your story, start to end, On men's courage will depend.

Happy New Year! hear us shout As the Old Year's time runs out. But, too well, we've come to know We, alone, can make it so. By the way we stand to care, By the way our griefs we bear, By of all we do, the sum, You are destined to become.

Today's Talk

By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS

FOR THE LOVE OF BOOKS

One of the happiest things that have happened through the writing of this brief Talk from day to day has been the response from readers, thanking me for the mention of well-loved books from time to time. Many have even told me that I started them to reading and collecting books.

Books are life-long friends. They never desert or capitulate. They are ever ready for any mood. They cheer, console and inspire. They educate and enlarge one's vision.

I recently read a little book about the Minneapolis poet, Arthur Upson, who died several years ago, but who confessed in one of his sonnets: "Dust o' Books, I love you so!" And it is said of an English bookman, James Edwards, that before his death in 1816 he "directed that his coffin be constructed of the shelves of his library!"

I would feel deserted indeed not to have books about me, no matter where I am. They go with me everywhere and, as friends, I introduce them to my friends. They are a solace when all else fails. They appear to me often in the manner of Charles Lamb's "Dream Children." And if you have never read that beautiful essay, please do. It is contained in any volume of his complete essays.

I have thousands of books and I am often asked if I have read them all. No, I haven't, but they are near to me to be read, just like a friend to talk to when the mood is at hand. I keep dipping into them, and always shall, so long as I live. And each new one presents a thrill!

If you want to read a beautiful book, just published in America, get "Lovely Is the Lee," by Robert Gibbings, published by Dutton. It's about a trip that the author took in Ireland. Lovers of Ireland will treasure it. It is not only written beautifully but beautifully illustrated by the author. And it is one of those delightful brief books.

Tomorrow Mr. Adams will talk on the subject: "Paying Attention To Life"

Tires Off List, But None Available

Pittsburgh, Jan. 1 (AP)—Tires went off the rationed list last night, but a survey of Pittsburgh dealers indicated it didn't make much difference. They hadn't any tires, anyway.

A few retail dealers said they may have some tires for sale. One commented: "We expect a shipment. If the tires come in, we will put them on sale Wednesday. But we won't have enough to supply the demand."

The Almanac

Jan. 2—Sun rises 7:22; sets 4:45. Moon rises 6:38 a. m.
Jan. 3—Sun rises 7:22; sets 4:46. Moon sets in evening.
MOON PHASES
Jan. 3—New Moon.
Jan. 10—First Quarter.
Jan. 17—Full Moon.
Jan. 25—Last Quarter.

Out Of The Past

From the Files of the Star and Sentinel and The Gettysburg Times

FIFTY YEARS AGO

Local Miscellany: A terrible wind and rain storm passed over the town Thursday night. The big chimney at the jail and the old Pierce barn were blown down. Monday night there was a repetition of the rain and wind.

J. L. Butt, Esq., has become the purchaser of Edgar F. Miller's grocery store at \$1100.

The gas company has elected J. W. Diehl temporary president. Prof. P. M. Bickle a director to succeed the late Hon. Edward McPherson, and J. M. Bushman collector to succeed the late Jacob Remmel.

Watch night services were held at the U. B. church Tuesday night.

Rev. A. R. Steck's Sunday School class presented him, on Christmas, with a handsome pair of driving gloves. He was also presented with a Portland cutter.

The Masonic Banquet: Good Samaritan Lodge F. and A. M. held their annual St. John's night banquet on Friday evening. Seventy-five sat down to an excellent menu which was served in the hall under the Lodge room on Carlisle street.

The following responded to toasts: George J. Benner, G. Henry Shirk, J. W. C. O'Neal, S. S. Neely, Thos. J. Stahle, John L. Kendlehart, John A. Sheely, C. S. Duncan, T. C. Billheimer, W. T. Ziegler.

Officers for 1896 are: Chas. W. Holtzworth, Worshipful Master; C. William Troxell, Senior Warden; Charles S. Duncan, Junior Warden; William T. Ziegler, Treasurer; Daniel A. Skelly, Secretary; Madison A. Garvin, Senior Master of Ceremonies; John L. Kendlehart, Junior Master of Ceremonies; Herman H. Mertz, Senior Deacon; Edward M. Bender, Junior Deacon; David M. Wolf, Pursuivant; C. William Ziegler, Tyler.

Personal Mention: A portrait and two landscapes painted by Charles M. Young gained a place in the annual exhibition of the Academy of Fine Arts of Philadelphia. A water color by Mrs. G. B. Zane, Jr., was also accepted by the committee. Miss Alice McGuigan is off on a trip to Altoona and Washington. Mr. Calvin Gilbert and wife are visiting in Chambersburg. Miss Hulise, of Florida, is visiting Miss Emily Horner.

Marriages: Albert-King: Dec. 24, at New Oxford, by Rev. P. E. Heimer, Charles W. Albert to Miss Elmina S. King, both of Hamilton township.

Baker-Bowers: Dec. 25, at Littlestown, by Rev. T. Wagner, Harry L. Baker, of Freedom township, to Miss Lily M. Bowers, of Carroll Co., Md.

Carbaugh-Daywalt: Dec. 22, at Mount Hope, by Rev. D. C. Eyer, James Carbaugh, of Franklin township, to Miss Preathy L. Daywalt, of Hamilton township.

Conover-Poulik: Dec. 24, at the bride's home, by Rev. W. C. Wire, Martin E. Conover, of Carroll county, Md., to Miss Alice M. Poulik, of Mountjoy township.

Crone-Freed: Dec. 26, at the U. B. parsonage in this place, by Rev. D. W. Sollenberger, Sherman E. Crone, of Orrtanna, to Miss Ellen V. Freed, of Arendtsville.

Carbaugh-Brandt: Dec. 25, in this place, by Rev. J. F. Mackley, Edward Carbaugh, of Cashtown, to Miss Edith Brandt, of Greencastle.

Geyer-Miller: Dec. 24, at Arendtsville by Rev. D. T. Koser, Harry C. Geyer, to Miss Elsie Miller, both of Cashtown.

Hockensmith-Boyd: Dec. 25, at Fairfield, by Rev. W. J. D. Scherer, Charles Hockensmith, of Emmitsburg District, to Miss Minnie Boyd, daughter of Mrs. Mary A. Boyd, of Fairfield.

Knouse-Hoffman: Dec. 24, at Arendtsville, by Rev. D. T. Koser, Geo. H. Knouse to Miss H. Jennie Hoffman, both of Menallen township.

Little-Wentz: Dec. 24, in Little-



NEW YEAR is here 1946!

In wishing our friends a Happy New Year we want to add this thought:

We hope 1946 will be a year of many EXTRAS for you. Extra opportunities, extra good health, and extra happiness.

Drop in and see us any time. You are always welcome here.

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CHIANG MAKES OFFER TO REDS

By SPENCER MOOSA

Chungking, Jan. 1 (AP)—Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek made an outright bid to rival Chinese Communist forces Monday to join a government that would unify China.

In a New Year's message to the Chinese people, he announced that the government was ready to invite leaders of other political parties "to take part in the government, either in the policy-making councils or the executive branches."

They would be welcomed into the government, he said, before the National Assembly meets next May 5 to consider a new constitution for China.

The only condition set on this arrangement by the Generalissimo was that those other representatives "must not maintain autonomous armies to serve as instruments for forcible seizure of power."

The Communists have been maintaining a separate army in North China and likewise have been hold-

town by Rev. W. C. Wire, Walter A. Little to Miss Clara A. Wentz, both of Mountpleasant township.

Mickley-Baker: Dec. 26, in this place, by John L. Hill, Jr., Esq., Robert C. Mickley, of Fairfield, to Miss Lener B. Baker, of Cashtown. Myers-Brown: Dec. 24, in New Oxford, by Rev. P. E. Heimer, W. Denton Myers to Miss Adath J. Brown, both of Reading township.

Newman-Esaley: Dec. 17, by Rev. F. S. Lindaman, Charles E. Newman to Miss Emma J. Esaley, both of Union township.

Stover-Kuhn: Dec. 24, at the Reformed parsonage, in Fairfield, by Rev. J. T. Mackley, John C. Stover to Miss Roselle E. Kuhn, both of Cashtown.

Sheely-Kump: Dec. 24, at Littlestown, by Rev. Geo. P. Stem, Charles F. Sheely, of Mountpleasant township, to Miss Annie L. Kump, of Germany township.

Shindedecker-Adams: Dec. 24, at Arendtsville, by Rev. M. M. Noacher, Harry E. Shindedecker, of Fairfield, to Miss Jennie E. Adams, of Tyrone township.

Twomey-Rosensteel: Dec. 24, in this place, by Rev. H. S. Christ, Francis P. Twomey, of Straban township, to Miss Minnie E. Rosensteel, of Cumberland township.

Warren-Tressler: Dec. 22, at Fountaine, by Rev. D. C. Eyer, Charles F. Warren to Miss Sarah S. G. Tressler, both of Liberty township.

Walker-Scott: Dec. 24, at Fairplay, by Rev. W. Simonton, D. D., Stewart C. Walker to Miss Mary E. Scott, daughter of William C. Scott, all of this county.

Wehler-Rebert: Dec. 26, at Littlestown, by Rev. F. S. Lindaman, Charles H. Wehler to Miss Catherine N. Rebert, both of Union township.

Koreans Throw Rocks At Yanks

Seoul, Korea, Dec. 29 (Delayed)

(AP)—Korean hotheads fought in the streets of Seoul and threw rocks at American soldiers today in violent protest against the Big Three's five-year trusteeship plan for their country.

Rightist speakers addressed a mass meeting which decried immediate recognition of a Korean provisional government, called for a strike of Koreans employed by the American military government, and branded opponents to independence-now as traitors.

In an attempt to forestall more demonstrations against the trusteeship program, announced after the Russian-British-American conference at Moscow last week, American military authorities who control southern Korea ordered an 8 p. m. curfew.

(There was no report of the Korean reaction to the program in northern Korea, where the Russians are in control.)

Koreans, craving independence after nearly a half century as a colony of Japan, were inflamed by the Big Three program for a trusteeship by the United States, Russia, Britain and China while Korea learns to walk unaided among nations.

Young Civilian Pilot Is Killed

Lewistown, Pa., Jan. 1 (AP)—James Edward Williams, Jr., 23-year old civilian pilot, of Spring City, Chester county, died Sunday in the crash of his plane on a farm near Cocolamus, two miles south of here.

John Haubert, owner of the farm, told Coroner R. Bradford Brown that the plane headed straight for the farmhouse, but leveled off just in time, then struck a hillside about 800 yards away and burst into flames.

Pvt. Clyde E. Smith, of the state police, identified the charred body of the pilot by the ship's log.

ing out for a later meeting of the constitutional assembly, claiming that otherwise it would be packed for the Kuomintang or National Party.

Use Peaceful Means
The Generalissimo asserted, however, that the government was prepared to increase the number of the Assembly "so that leading personages" of "other political parties may also take part."

"We will use every possible peaceful means to solve internal conflicts," he said in a radio address.

"Internally, I wish to maintain national unity. Externally, I wish to achieve world peace. I have devoted everything that I am to the country and I have banished all thoughts of life or death and success or failure... considerations of personal glory and gain are not in my thoughts."



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CANDIDATE—Eleanor Cahill, from Coronado, Calif., is a contender for queen of the N. Y. press photographers' ball.

In a Roman house, the central hearth and a hole was cut in the room, or atrium, contained the flue to let out the smoke.

Happy New Year

... Just as the ties of friendship are strengthened at this Holiday Season, so may our business associations grow in mutual accord and confidence. Best wishes for the coming year.

MORRIS GITLIN

Phone 28 Rear Carlisle Street Gettysburg, Pa.



A New Year's Message to Farmers and all Pulpwood Workers

FOR THE FIRST TIME in four years the New Year's bells ring out in a peaceful America.

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41 Officers Plan Trials Of Japanese

Tokyo, Jan. 1 (AP)—Forty-one officers organized into coordinated teams are responsible for the preparation and prosecution of atrocity war criminal suspects whose series of trials began in Yokohama last week. General MacArthur's headquarters said Monday in announcing the first complete list of these key men.

The Yokohama trials are limited

to Japanese accused of specific person camp and similar brutalities. Prosecutors work in the seven areas and on a review team collecting and preparing evidence and handling details of the long, sordid stories from the past. They include:

Tokyo area—Christ C. Walthour, Jr., Manor, Pa.
Sendai—2nd Lt. Hyman Borovetz, 903 N. St. Clair St., Pittsburgh, Pa.

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'Proclaim liberty throughout the world, unto all the inhabitants thereof.'

In this land of free men the merry tumult of New Year's is a traditional part of our national life. It does us all good to give the New Year a rousing welcome.

More power to New Year's and the principles of freedom upon which it rests. And more power to you, dear friends, every day of 1946! It has been a pleasure and a privilege to have served you, and we stand pledged to serve you still better in the year to come.

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MORE MEMORIES OF GEN. PATTON BY AP SCRIBE

By HAL BOYLE

Manila (AP) — More memories of General Patton: Patton was known to the public as perhaps the most spirited, ruthless aggressive Allied military leader of World War II.

This aspect of his character has been overemphasized to the detriment of other qualities. One reason this great general never lost a campaign or major battle was the fact that he was an astute army politician and knew thoroughly the importance of supply.

Lesser men might gamble with what was on hand but Patton had the salesmanship and 'prestige' to insist on getting what he wanted in the way of troops and supplies before he undertook an important task. Thus when he was sent from Morocco to rebuild American army forces shattered at Faid and Kasserine Pass he insisted on assembling the First Armored and First and Ninth Infantry Divisions and fighting them for the first time as divisions. Hitherto as scattered regiments they nominally were under an American corps, but actually were under the British First Army Command.

Great Sense of Timing

At El Guettar, I saw Patton's usual calculated disregard for his personal safety during a visit to a frontline command post on a hill-top. Although numerous American dead lay around and the Germans were heavily shelling the road area and bombing it with outdated Stukas, Patton drove up in a command car, stepped out and stalked stiffly, erectly forward.

He never ducked once, so neither could the officers who accompanied him and who looked mighty unhappy about the whole situation. Truth requires me to report that this correspondent, devotedly true to his responsibilities to his employers, his readers and his own skin, earnestly hit the dirt every time an enemy shell whistled near — and I don't remember ever hearing more whistling.

It was the same way at Gela, Sicily. Patton stamped ashore, asked a negro quartermaster worker what he was doing lying in a ditch beside a 500-pound bomb for cover, then rode away to rally his men and check a German Panzer drive that reached within a thousand yards of the sea. Shortly after he left the beach, a German plane dropped a bomb at the point where he had come ashore. Patton always had a great sense of timing.

One curious thing about Patton's career—never before printed to my knowledge—is that his greatest fame came from an order given him by a man regarded as one of the most cautious American military commanders. The man was Gen. Omar Bradley, now veterans' administrator and, in my opinion and that of many observers, the best all-around army leader produced by any nation during the war.

Never Unshaven

After breaking out of the Normandy crust and cutting off Brittany, the impetuous Patton wanted

Continues Vigil On Bank Of River

West Elizabeth, Pa., Jan. 1 (AP)—New Year's Eve and New Year's Day were all the same to old Morgan Lewis who continued a 40-day vigil by the bank of the Monongahela, waiting for the river to give up the body of his grandson.

Charles Lewis, Jr., 14, was drowned at the dam here last November. That same night, "Grandpop" Lewis built a fire on the rocky bank of the river and began his watch.

"Someday Chuckie will come out of that river," the 73-year-old railroad worker insists. "And when he does, his grandpop will be waiting for him."

Teachers Refuse To Resume Coaching

Pittsburgh, Jan. 1 (AP) — Pittsburgh high schools reopen tomorrow, but the athletic coaches have reaffirmed their stand not to resume coaching.

The physical education instructors quit their coaching duties Nov. 25 in a demand for overtime pay.

They further resolved not to resume coaching next semester unless they approve a time schedule prepared by the board of education. The schedule proposes hours to permit coaching without putting in overtime.

to turn west and exploit his conquest of the peninsula. It was Bradley, always cool and never emotional, who ordered him to turn east and speed across France toward Metz and the Siegfried Line in one of the boldest gambles of the war.

Patton carried his rank proudly and well. I know of no man, with the possible exception of the late Maj. Gen. Maurice Rose of Denver, commander of the Third Armored "Spearhead" Division, who could wear a uniform so splendidly. No, not even Douglas MacArthur.

During three years with Patton, I never saw him unshaven or wearing a uniform unpressed or bearing a single stain. Nor did I ever in public see him anything but self-confident and secure.

Quixotic, violent, sentimental, brave and successful, he went to his grave the most loyal man to a stern code I ever had the privilege to know.

JOBLESS TOTAL IS BELOW 1938

Harrisburg, Jan. 1 (AP)—Unemployment compensation payments in Pennsylvania in 1945 totalled \$26,573,098 but were still nearly \$45,000,000 below the approximately \$71,000,000 in benefits paid from the state fund in 1938.

State Treasurer Ramsey S. Black reported the Commonwealth at the same time paid another \$14,147,054 last year to war veterans under the Federal Servicemen's Readjustment Act. This money, however, is reimbursed to the fund by the U. S. government.

Black, in a review of benefits paid in the last year, said the combined unemployment and readjustment benefits of \$12,613,696 paid in December represented the largest sum ever paid from the fund in any one month.

The previous high was November when the combined benefits totalled \$10,441,599 and prior to that, the \$10,008,598 paid out in unemployment compensation in March, 1938. The benefits to veterans, however, only began in September, 1944.

Largest Month

While the Treasury Department said no data was available on the number of individuals to receive benefits, since most received more than one check, the number of checks for compensation in December was 398,684 compared with 391,836 in November.

The 1945 Legislature increased benefits from \$18 to \$20 a week and the benefit period of 26 weeks. The waiting period before jobless persons, eligible for aid, can receive payments also was cut to one week.

The fund, despite the heavy payments since the end of the war, the Treasury Department added, still contained a balance of more than \$600,000,000 at the year's end.

Things Of The Soil

By DAN P. VAN GORDER
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Questions of our readers on lawns, flowers, vegetable growing, poultry, fruit, livestock and general agriculture will be answered by return personal letter without charges if a 3-cent stamp is enclosed.

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First Aims In Poultry Records

Production and costs of the poultry flock are not a matter which owners may decide to maintain or merely neglect as a more or less helpful aid in poultry keeping; they are a necessity. In fact, they are so important that every flock owner should consider accurate records a vital and integral part of his industry. Size of the flock has little to do in deciding to start records.

Of course, commercial poultrymen recognize that October 1 is usually deemed the beginning of the poultry year. Then new pullets are added to the flock and begin laying. Egg production from older hens mounts after the molting season. The flock is culled and low producers are sold. Inventories are easily taken. But where owners have never started poultry records, Jan. 1 is a handy time to begin simple recordings of production, sales, eggs and poultry, meat consumed at home, feeding costs, profits and losses.

A sheet of 8½ x 11 or proportionately larger paper serves for each month. This should be ruled crosswise from side to side to provide a space for each day of the month. From top to bottom along the left

side a column should be ruled off about an inch wide in which the day of the month is inserted, with sufficient space to enter daily the number of eggs produced.

To the right of the egg production column should be another column three inches wide ruled off and headed "Receipts." Here are entered each day all sales from the flock—eggs, meat, etc., also eggs and meat consumed at home. The latter should be entered at prevailing market prices and marked "Home." Immediately to the right of the Receipts column should be a column three-fourths of an inch wide in which amounts of daily receipts are entered.

The remaining three and three-fourths inches is the Expense column. Here should be entered daily all purchases—feed, grit, medicines, chicks, breeding stock and similar outlays. The final margin column (three-fourths of an inch wide) is provided as space in which to record amounts of daily outlays.

At the end of each calendar month the three columns are totaled—eggs received in sales and home consumption, and expenses. At the end of the year totals of the 12 monthly

sheets provide a complete summary of the poultry business.

In most cases poultry owners maintain a supplementary sheet on which is recorded birds lost (chens computed at \$1.50 each), comments on feeding and general care and similar facts related to the flock. Too, this sheet should contain a complete inventory of the flock as of December 31—value of feed on hand, number of hens, medicines, etc.

What are the value of poultry records? First, owners may know at the end of each week, month and year whether their hens are producing a profit or incurring a loss. Next, on the basis of such knowledge owners find their only basis to mend weak links and alter practices. In

other words, without accurate records the poultryman is engaged in a blind gamble, going on and on like a pilotless ship at sea, without a compass to guide him and ever without a definite destination. It has frequently been said that a poultry owner who does not keep production and cost records should sell his hens in order to escape from so hazardous an undertaking. Poultry record keeping is nothing more or less than sound business.

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The Members of this Post will start the New Year right with a rousing welcome from all of us to all of you and hearty wishes for your luck and happiness in this grand year of peace.

We also extend at this time, our sincere thanks and appreciation to the citizens of Gettysburg, Adams County, for their generous and unselfish assistance in making it possible to have our new home established on 249 Carlisle Street. All Foreign War Veterans and their families appreciate these courtesies extended, your wholehearted willingness to help and co-operate after our initial building plans were made known. We all say **THANK YOU VERY MUCH!**

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BYRNES PLACES HIS CONFIDENCE IN MACARTHUR

By GRAHAM HOVEY
Washington, Jan. 1 (AP)—Secretary of State Byrnes held confidentially today to a New Year's belief that General MacArthur will make the Allied plan for Japan a success and that 1946 will bring the major powers into accord on other problems related to world peace.

In a news-packed, hour-long meeting with reporters yesterday just before he flew to a second meeting in three days with President Truman aboard the yacht Williamsburg, Byrnes also told newsmen he:

1. Sent the United States plan for Allied control machinery for Japan to MacArthur through the War Department in October and revised it later in line with suggestions advanced by the general.

2. Went to the Moscow foreign ministers' conference believing that MacArthur—whatever his objections—regarded the plan as workable.

MacArthur Not Informed
3. Did not keep MacArthur informed of Moscow developments because the general is an administrator, not a policy-maker.

4. Was delighted to learn that MacArthur, despite his objections to the plan, was determined to do his utmost to make it work.

Byrnes said Thomas D. Blake, press officer for the far eastern commission, was not authorized by any state department official to say that MacArthur had not objected to the plan for Japan and had been advised during Moscow discussions on the subject.

This statement by Blake Saturday brought a denial from MacArthur, who said he had registered his objections to the plan in a dispatch to the army chief of staff October 31. Byrnes said he never saw such a communication from the supreme commander.

Troops Leave Iran
The secretary also told his conference Britain and Australia had exerted more pressure for a greater measure of responsibility in administering Japan than had Russia.

Turning to other matters, Byrnes also told newsmen that:

The last American troops have left Iran, thus fulfilling this country's pledge to get them out by January 1. British and Russian troops are due to quit the troubled middle east country March 2.

Dillinger Captor Resigns From F.B.I.

Pittsburgh, Jan. 1 (AP)—Eli J. Rose, Federal Bureau of Investigation agent who participated in the capture of John Dillinger and "Pretty Boy" Floyd, resigned yesterday after 12 years with the FBI.

Rose, a former Philadelphia attorney, said he planned to re-enter law practice here.

Woman Plunges Through Window

Pittsburgh, Jan. 1 (AP)—Mrs. Loreta Weber, 50, of Mt. Oliver was injured yesterday in a headlong plunge through a plate glass window in a Mt. Oliver five and dime store.

Police said the woman slipped on the marble entrance and fell forward through the window. She was taken to southside hospital.



PALESTINE POLICE PARADE—Mounted police parade past the public information office at Lydda, Palestine, when Lt. Gen. Sir Alan Cunningham arrived by plane to take over as high commissioner for Palestine and Transjordan.

Pittsburgh Man Is Killed By Bus

Pittsburgh, Jan. 1 (AP)—The New Year was ushered in with snow flurries and ear-nipping temperatures in western Pennsylvania today and the forecast called for even colder weather.

Ice-coated streets and highways made driving treacherous and accounted for at least one death yesterday. Tjodor Shumely, 67, was killed by a skidding bus on Pittsburgh's north side.

Herman Zeller, 20, and Denton Laun, 18, narrowly escaped injury when their car skidded on a snow-packed street and overturned.

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San Francisco, Jan. 1 (AP)—Lt. Col. John Galloway, of Wichita, Kas., an army public relations officer, telephoned a railroad office to

find out about a train his wife, Elizabeth, was arriving on. "Is that train normally on time?" asked John. "Normally, yes," replied the information clerk, "but it hasn't been for four years."

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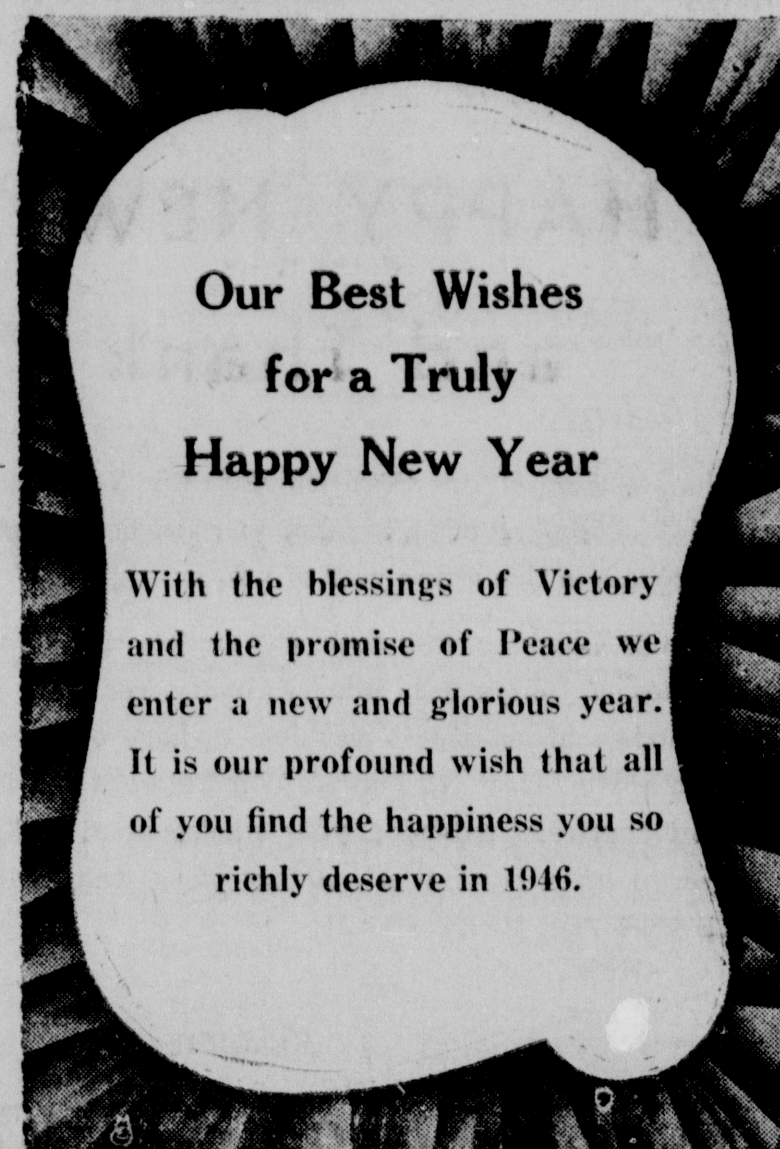
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MILLIONS SEE MUMMERSCAPER

Philadelphia, Jan. 1 (AP)—With the weather showing signs of cooperation, some 7,000 Philadelphia mummies daubed greasepaint on faces and donned fancy garb today to caper down Broad street in the annual New Year's Day parade.

Many of the marchers swirling in gilded shoes post a million spectators to lifting notes of "Oh Dem! Golden Slippers"—traditional tune of the "shooters"—spent last New Year's Day shivering in foxholes at Bastogne or fighting off air attacks en route to Lingayen guns.

But the interlude of war was best noted today by the shining silks and satins brought home from half a dozen continents to make their wearers more resplendent in this festival of mummery.

The Liberty Clowns, one of 21 clubs competing in the three-mile parade for upwards of \$15,000 in prizes, were decked out in 150 yards of finest Japanese silk. Fred Massey bought it in Tokyo especially for this occasion. Two of his shipmates who helped make the delivery aboard the battleship Tennessee caught the fever and joined the parade.

No Women Allowed

Men—some who have marched in every parade since the event first was recognized officially by the city in 1901—joined their sons and grandsons beneath the block-long fancy capes; in comic skirts, plucking instruments in the unique string bands.

There were no women in the three-hour march—a tradition maintained jealously even through the wartime manpower shortage.

Many of the paraders had devoted hours of their leisure time since last January to fashioning the costumes for what city officials called the most elaborate display of its kind in Philadelphia's history. Alfred Pink, president of the Mummers' Association, estimated the costumes cost upwards of \$100,000.

Origin of the parade—a cold-weather edition of New Orleans' Mardi Gras—is shrouded in legend but century-old newspaper clippings describe spontaneous parades on New Year's Day. The nickname "shooters" emerged from the old practice of welcoming the new year with firearms and rockets but that feature has been dropped from the program.

Flashes Of Life

Rocky Ford, Colo., (AP)—Mrs. Pete Montoya placed the moustering out pay of her son, Benny, plus some other family cash in cans and hid them in her home. It totaled \$1,200. Fire destroyed the residence yesterday but Mrs. Montoya insisted on digging through the embers. She found the \$1,200.

Buffalo, N. Y., (AP)—The time- honored custom associated with mistletoe does not have the sanction of Health Commissioner Francis E. Profczak. Dr. Profczak warned yesterday that, in addition to the strain on the heart, kissing may also cause respiratory disease.

Shawnee, Okla., (AP)—For 35 years "Old Bob" served W. H. Merritt well.

Finally Merritt sold the horse, sorrowfully returned home. A short time later "Old Bob" loped up. He'd kicked the side out of his new barn.

Merritt took him back, but made no guarantees.

BEDDING DOWN
Chicago, (AP)—Mrs. Alberts Brooks explaining to Felony Judge Charles S. Dougherty how she aired her bedding, denied a charge of malicious mischief. "I shook my bedclothes out the window," said Mrs. Brooks but Prosecutor Maurice Mettel said a bed hit an automobile parked below her second floor window, and the owner wanted \$200 damages. "Sure," said Mrs. Brooks. "When I shake my bedding, I shake it bed and all. And it just slipped out of my hands." Judge Dougherty freed her of the charge.

OLDEST ODD FELLOW
Aurora, Ill., (AP)—Daniel A. Wedge says he always intended to join the Odd Fellows lodge but he never got around to it. So yesterday officers of the fraternal organization here went to Wedge's home and enrolled him as a social member. They said they believed Wedge, who is 104, is the country's oldest lodge member.

EAGLE EYE
Tracy, Minn., (AP)—Mrs. John Peterson, after a diligent search, decided there wasn't a needle in her house, so she asked her husband if he had any ideas.

Peterson didn't go to a haystack for a search. Instead he cut open an old pin cushion, dug out 124 needles.

YOUNG VET
Carbondale, Ill., (AP)—Edward Lee Hardin, who at 16 was a Pacific battle veteran, is back in the army again.

Now 17, Hardin, who wears the bronze star on his Philippine liberation ribbon, reenlisted in the army—this time with the consent of his parents. He was discharged the first time because of his age.

Enchanted Journey

AP Newsletters

By Helen R. Woodward

Chapter 13

"I'd like to see the gown you're wearing tonight, Edith!" Old Eugenia said pre-emptorily when Edith reached her own bedroom to find the old lady there. "I suppose you and your mother have excellent taste in the selection of clothes—still I should like to see your gown!"

Edith wondered if Eugenia were really prompted by doubt as to the suitability of her frock, or if she were possessed of a childish curiosity. She went to the carved mahogany wardrobe quite willingly and took down a flowing white frock which, though in the latest fashion, carried old Eugenia back to the days when she reigned as a belle in this same old house.

Julie, the upstairs maid, passing by the door and glancing in, squealed with delight and rolled her eyes until Eugenia ordered her out.

"It's dream stuff!" Julie cried, determined on having the last word. "And Miss Edith'll look lak a dream in it!"

"A wreath of rosebuds in your hair—that will set it off!" Eugenia dressed early and went down to give last minute instructions to Jake and Kitty.

Edith, putting the wreath of rosebuds which Aunt Josie had lovingly twined for her into her hair, heard her grandmother speaking sharply to Barbara in the lower hallway. She hurriedly finished dressing and went down to find Barbara and tell her of her appreciation of her efforts to make the party a success.

She found Barbara looking tired but lovely in cool green chiffon. She was in the kitchen helping Kitty count sandwiches. Her face was flushed, her dark hair damp about her forehead and Edith thought she swayed a little with fatigue.

"Here,—let me!" Edith offered, taking a sandwich from Barbara's hand. "You've worked unceasingly all day!" But Barbara shook her head and began to push Edith gently from the room. "You're far too gorgeous for the kitchen. Isn't she, Kitty?" "She look lak a angel!" Kitty beamed.

"If I go you're coming, too!" Edith declared. "Kitty will finish counting."

"You're queer, Edith," she said wonderingly. "One would almost believe you like me!" Edith was aghast. "But I do, Barbara—you've done everything in your power to make me happy here. I wish we might be really friends!"

Barbara shook her head. "There's too much to keep us apart, I'm afraid. If we had met under other circumstances, I have a feeling we might have known a rare friendship such as women seldom have—"

"Let's forget those circumstances!"

"Burk said you might be like this!" Edith asked quickly. "Is he coming tonight?"

Barbara could not keep the bit-

terness from her short laugh. "Hardly. There's no love lost between Burk and Whitt!"

"I'm sorry. Your brother seems an interesting man. I met him you know, on the roadway the other day."

"He told me. He—he's the salt of the earth, Edith. No finer man ever lived!"

"I'm sure of that." From Barbara's tone Edith could guess something of the affection between brother and sister.

"I'm afraid I have a disappointment for you. Your father—won't be able to come to your party!" Edith was disappointed. "But I was counting on him to see me through. Was he called away, perhaps?"

"No." Barbara's answer was evasive. "He—He's not feeling well." "But he was quite all right at luncheon."

"Yes—it's nothing serious." "Where is he?" "In his room—sleeping now."

"Then of course I can't disturb him."

"No—better not. Well, here come our first guests. Shall we join your grandmother?" But Edith realized that something of the glamour of the evening was gone since Whitt would not be there. For Barbara, too, she supposed, noting the air of determined gaiety she assumed like a mantle and which somehow did not quite seem to fit.

The party was soon in full swing. The crowd filled the house and spilled over onto the lighted lawn. Old Eugenia, seated in state near the double doors leading from drawing room to hallway, watched with alert black eyes, her wrinkled face alive with memories.

She watched Edith in her white frock and headband of roses, dancing with one of the Wynn boys. A fine match that would be! Edith and one of the Wynn boys. Keep her here in the blue grass country all ways. A true Lacey she was!

A party in Kentucky! For a few moments Edith longed achingly for her mother, in a way she knew she'd never have her again. Suddenly the big, brilliant room was blotted out as if it had never been, leaving her forlorn and helpless, a prey to the choking sense of bewilderment she thought she had overcome. A stranger in a strange land. Shut off from those she loved. Even Whitt, her father, had deserted her.

To be continued

Christianity became the state religion under Emperor Constantine the Great, after 250 years of persecution.

STATE TO MARK HISTORIC SPOTS

Harrisburg, Jan. 1 (AP)—The new Pennsylvania Historical and Museum commission will erect 500 blue and gold signs on the state's highways this spring to let the world know "practically everything in American history" had its beginning in the Keystone state.

Dr. Donald A. Cadzow, executive director, said a similar program for several hundred historical markers in Pennsylvania cities will follow later in the year.

"It is something which should have been done years ago," Dr. Cadzow stated. "Other states have erected such signs when we are really the ones who have the history."

He said selection of the sites to be marked will be made by a marker committee of the commission based on recommendations from county historical societies.

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Each sign will be 42 by 36 inches and will be placed on an ornamental post bearing the Pennsylvania coat of arms in gold. The sign will carry a 2½ inch caption in gold leaf of the spot marked followed by several lines of historical text in smaller letters and directions on how to reach the particular place.

"We tested various colors and sizes of type," explained Dr. Cadzow, "and found that a blue background and gold lettering can be easily read as motorists drive by at the average rate of speed."

He said the plan was worked out by the commission, headed by Attorney General James H. Duff, at the suggestion of Governor Martin. "Later the commission plans to issue a guide book giving the location of each marker and additional information as to what happened there," Cadzow added.

He said such places as colonial forts, birthplaces of famed Pennsylvanians, Indian villages, battles and as well as other historical spots will be marked.

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NATION SWEEP BY COLD WAVE

Strong northwest winds, mixed with dropping temperatures, afforded a breezy, chilly climatic cocktail to the New Year in a wide section of the nation today.

Temperatures fell to below zero in many areas of the upper Mississippi and lower Missouri valleys, where the shallow mass of cold air concentrated. The cold weather headed into the east central, north-eastern and New England states.

Federal forecasters in Chicago, however, said the new cold weather would be of short duration and milder temperatures were predicted for the current cold belt by the end of the week.

Snow flurries were reported in the New England states and in the lower lakes and Ohio valley, but no section reported heavy falls. The chilly breezes skipped most sections of the south and west although rain fell in parts of the northwest Pacific.

Coldest New Year's Day temperatures were in Minnesota, with 15 below in Rochester and 10 in Minneapolis. Other sub-zero readings included -13 Mason city, Iowa; -13 Sioux Falls, S. D.; -9 Pembina, N. D., and -6 in Omaha, Nebr.

"True" Version Of Hitler Death Shown
Herford, Germany, Jan. 1 (AP)—The full story of the escape of three messengers from Adolf Hitler's Berlin chancellery with his last testaments was told today by a British intelligence officer who said there now was no possible doubt but that the Nazi Fuehrer died in his battered bunker.

Exhaustive questioning of all persons known to have witnessed Hitler's last hours who are now in British hands disclosed the full sequence of events which British intelligence now accepts as the true version of Hitler's death, the officer said.

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RADIO PROGRAMS
TUESDAY
660k-WEAF-454M
12:00-News
12:15-Talk
12:30-Parade
1:00-Mary McBride
1:45-News
2:00-Guiding Light
2:15-Children
2:30-Woman
2:45-Hymns
3:15-Ma Perkins
3:00-Women
3:30-Pepper Young
3:45-Happiness
4:00-Backstage
4:15-S. Dallas
4:30-J. Jones
4:45-Dance Bowl
7:40-His Honor
8:45-Merry Wood
8:30-Judy Date
9:00-Amos, Andy
9:30-Fiber McGee
10:00-Bob Hope
10:30-Red Skelton
1:00-News
11:30-Dorsey Orch.
710k-WOR-422M
12:00-Inauguration
12:15-R. Maxwell
12:30-N. W.
12:45-Answer Man
1:00-Music
1:15-Album
1:30-Lopez orch.
1:45-J. Anthony
2:00-Carson Show
7:30-Arthur Hale
7:45-Sports
8:00-Sports
8:15-Unannounced
8:30-The Falcon
9:00-News
9:15-Stones
9:30-Forum
10:30-Symphonette
11:00-News
11:30-Monroe orch.
770k-WJZ-685M
12:00-Glamour
1:00-News
1:15-C. Bennett
1:30-Galen Drake
2:00-J. Kennedy
2:15-Duo
2:30-Sketch
2:45-Sugar Bowl
5:15-Dick Tracy
5:30-J. Armstrong
6:45-Sketch
8:00-News
8:15-H. Morgan
8:30-News
8:45-C. Tinney
7:00-Headlines
7:15-News
7:30-Drama
8:00-Lum, Abner
8:15-E. Davis
8:30-Young Show
9:00-Lombardi Or.
9:30-Doctors
9:45-Trophies
10:00-1946 Forecast
11:00-News
11:15-Story
11:30-Dance Or.
880k-WABC-675M
12:00-Kate Smith
12:15-Big Sister
12:30-Helen Trent
12:45-Our Gal
1:00-Life Can Be
1:15-Ma Perkins
1:30-Dr. Malone
1:45-Orange Bowl
4:30-G. McRae
5:00-Music
5:30-Tavern
6:40-Sparrow
6:00-News
6:15-Vocalist
6:30-Vocalist
6:45-World Today
7:00-Jack Kirkwood
7:15-Smith Show
7:30-Melody
8:00-Big Town
8:30-Theater
9:00-Inner Sanct.
9:30-My Best
10:00-Bob Crosby
10:30-Talks
11:00-News
11:15-Vocalist
11:30-Maritime
WEDNESDAY
660k-WEAF-454M
8:00-News
8:15-C. McCarthy
8:30-Sing
8:45-R. Hendricks
9:00-Variety
9:30-A. Hawley
9:45-Classics
10:00-R. St. John
10:15-L. Lawton
10:30-Road of Life
10:45-Joyce Jordan
11:00-Waring Show
11:30-B. Cameron
11:45-David Harum
12:00-News
12:15-Private Wire
12:30-Quartet
12:45-Music
1:00-M. McBride
1:45-M. Beatty
2:00-Guiding Light
2:15-Children
2:30-Wom. In White
2:45-Hymns
3:00-Woman
3:15-Ma Perkins
3:30-P. Young
3:45-Happiness
4:00-Stage Wife
4:15-Stella Dallas
4:30-Lorenzo Jones
4:45-Widder Brown
5:00-Girl Marries
5:15-Portia
5:30-Plain Bill
5:45-Front Page
6:00-News, L. Van
6:15-Serenade
6:30-Sports
6:45-Thomas
7:00-Supper Club
7:15-Vandercok
7:30-Barber Revue
7:45-Kathleen
8:00-Norths
8:30-Hildegard
9:00-Talk
9:30-Mr. D. A.
10:00-Ray Kyser
11:15-R. Harkness
11:30-Pastor Orch.
11:50-Mooney Orch.
710k-WOR-422M
8:00 a. m.-News
8:15-Breakfast
8:30-News
9:00-Talk
9:15-Music
9:30-A. McCann
10:00-News
10:30-B. Beatty
11:00-News
11:15-Talk
11:30-Easy
11:45-Health
12:15-R. Maxwell
12:30-News
12:45-Answer Man
1:00-Melodies
1:15-Album
1:30-Lopez Orch.
1:45-J. Anthony
2:00-News
2:15-Music
2:30-Queen
3:00-M. Heane
3:30-Rambling
4:00-Matinee
4:30-Dr. Eddy
5:00-Uncle Don
5:15-Superman
5:30-Sketch
5:45-Tom Mix
6:00-P. Schubert
6:15-Street Man
6:30-News
6:45-Norths
7:00-News
7:15-Answer Man
7:30-Talk
7:45-Sports
8:00-Top This
8:30-Bert Lahr
9:00-News
9:15-Real Life
9:30-Spot Band
10:00-Auction
10:30-Symphonette
11:00-News
11:30-Dorsey Orch.
770k-WJZ-685M
8:00 a. m.-Flitz Ida
8:30-Nancy Craig
9:00-Breakfast Club
10:00-True Story
10:30-Hymns
10:45-Listening
11:00-Breakfast
11:30-News
11:45-T. Malone
12:00-Glamour
12:30-Exchange
1:00-News
1:15-C. Bennett
1:30-Galen Drake
2:00-News
2:15-Duo
2:30-Bride, Groom
2:45-Peace Show
3:00-Ladies
4:00-Berch Show
4:15-Music
4:45 Hop Harrigan
5:00-Terry
5:15-Dick Tracy
5:30-J. Armstrong
5:45-Jed
6:00-News
6:15-H. Morgan
6:30-News
6:45-Cal Tinney
7:00-News
7:15-G. Hicks
7:30-Lone Ranger
8:00-Lum, Abner
8:15-News
8:30-Fishing
9:00-Music
9:30-Melody
10:00-Counterparty
10:30-Duo
10:45-Gallit Sisters